



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/015,939 Confirmation No.: 2933  
Applicant : Prakash Kadkade  
Filed : December 17, 2001  
Title : CRYOPRESERVATION OF PLANT CELLS  
TC/Art Unit : 1651  
Examiner: : Deborah H. Ware

Docket No. : 62698.000010  
Customer No. : 21967

**Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Commissioner of Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir,

Applicant provides the following amendments and remarks in response to the non-final office action dated December 16, 2003, in the above-captioned application. Applicant respectfully petitions for a one (1) month extension of time within which to submit a response, thereby extending the period within which to file a response up to and including April 16, 2004. Accordingly, this submission is responsive within the paid-for extension of time. A check in the amount of \$110.00 is included herewith, consisting of the one (1) month extension of time fee according to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1). It is believed that no other fees are required for entry of these amendments, but should any fees be necessary, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

**AMENDMENTS**

Responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed December 16, 2003 (hereinafter the "Office Action"), please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.